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C O N F I D E N T I A L USNATO 00086

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MARR, US, NATO  
SUBJECT: CEP: US REINFORCEMENT DATA - WINTEX/CIMEX-79

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- (C) USNATO 12530, DTG 121530Z DEC 77,  
- (D) STATE 290040, DTG 052357Z DEC 77 (NOTAL),  
- (E) USNATO 12127, DTG 022039Z DEC 77,  
- (F) USNATO 11942, DTG 291613Z NOV 77 (NOTAL)

1. AS THE DEPARTMENT KNOWS, WE HAVE BEEN UNDER CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE FROM NATO IS AND SHAPE AND OTHER MEMBER NATIONS TO PROVIDE DATA CONCERNING US REINFORCEMENTS FOR WINTEX/CIMEX-79. THIS PRESSURE HAS BEEN APPLIED IN THE COEC, CPT, AND THE SCEPC AND OTHER FORA, AS WELL AS DURING INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS WITH THE NATO AND SHAPE EXERCISE PLANNING STAFF. AS STATED IN REF C, GROSS PLANNING DATA CONCERNING US REINFORCEMENTS ARE REQUIRED AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE SO THAT  
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EXERCISE PLANNING FOR CIVIL RECEPTION CAPABILITY, INCLUDING AIRHEAD CLEARANCE, OCEAN TERMINAL THRU-PUT CLEARANCE AND CIVIL INLAND SURFACE TRANSPORT CAN KEEP PACE WITH THE MILITARY AND POLITICAL EXERCISE PLANNING THAT IS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY. ADDITIONALLY, THIS DATA IS NEEDED SO THAT THE PLANNING BOARDS AND COMMITTEES (PB&CS) CAN INITIATE THEIR EXERCISE EVENT AND INCIDENT PLANNING AND DEVELOP PLANS FOR

COORDINATING THE USE OF CRITICAL CIVIL RESOURCES.

2. WE RECOGNIZE THE DIFFICULTIES IN PROVIDING FINITE DATA CONCERNING US REINFORCEMENT AND MOVEMENT FLOW IN EARLY MARCH, AS REQUESTED BY SHAPE. HOWEVER, IN ORDER TO PROVIDE BASIC DATA THAT MAY BE REVISED AS ADDITIONAL, MORE SPECIFIC DATA BECOMES AVAILABLE, WE RECOMMEND THAT THE PLANNING FACTORS OUTLINED IN PARA 4, REF A, BE SUBMITTED AS THE INITIAL US INPUT.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: WASHINGTON APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSAL OUTLINED IN PARA 2 ABOVE. BENNETT

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